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Reports Captures

Lord Kitchener Says Among Prisoners Is Nephew of Mr. Kruger.

Rebels in Cape Colony Hiding to Escape the British Columns.

U. S. Consul General Stowe Preparing to Return to His Home.

London, Aug. 26.—Another despatch from Lord Kitchener says:

"Since August 19, thirty-two Boers have been killed, 179 have been made prisoners, and 185 have surrendered, including Kruger, a nephew of the ex-president."

"The columns are meeting with no appreciable opposition in Cape Colony. The rebels and armed bands are hiding and avoiding our columns with some success. The only contact having been with the command of Scheepers, who is being driven north."

James G. Stowe, the United States consul general at Cape Town, has arrived here from South Africa. To a representative of the Associated Press he said today: "I find myself marooned in London. Apparently every berth on steamers bound for America is taken till the end of September, and I am induced to get home where I can do away with official cars, and talk as a private citizen. You know more in London about the military conditions of South Africa than it is possible for any one to know at Cape Town."

"While I have resigned from the consulate service my resignation does not take effect till I reach Washington, hence it is impossible for me to say anything. You can learn much more from returning officers than it is possible to learn from any one else."

"The South African problem is undoubtedly difficult and complicated. The topography of the country and the mobility of the Boers, whom the English columns are unable to pursue individually, render operations most difficult. The British are feeding many prisoners and providing for thousands of Boer families, all of which is very nice on the part of England, but in the meanwhile the war drags on."

"There is a great future for South Africa when peace is declared. The surface mineral wealth is scarcely scratched, to see what chances aloft and solve the problem of re-unification, but when that will occur certainly no person at the Cape is able to say."

THE WILLY TURK.

Sultan's Procrastinating Methods Still Disturbing the French.

Paris, Aug. 26.—Sultan Abdul Hamid's persistence in procrastinating methods continue to disturb the Turkish relations with France. His trade giving satisfaction in the quays question was taken as indicating that he would accept the entire French claims. But M. Constant telegraphed yesterday that the Sultan was still holding out against the payment of the claims of three Frenchmen, dating back many years and amounting to several million francs, for which M. Constant demanded a settlement, and declared he would leave Constantinople today unless the matter was settled. This action, however, would be only a manifestation of dissatisfaction and not a rupture of relations, as the consul of the French embassy will take over the affairs of the embassy and continue the negotiations. M. Constant ostensibly will leave on a vacation. No word has been received from him yet regarding today's developments.

FOR MORE STEAMERS.

C. P. R. to Ask Shareholders to Issue Debentures.

Montreal, Que., Aug. 26.—At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the C. P. R., which will be held October 2, the shareholders will be asked to adopt a resolution authorizing the issue of bonds to the extent of \$400,000 sterling. This issue is provided for under the authority of the Dominion act 52 Victoria, Chap. 73, and the loan will be utilized to aid in the acquisition of steam vessels and their complement.

RAILWAY RATES.

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—(Special)—Prof. S. J. McLean, special commissioner of the Dominion government for inquiring into the railway rates charged by all the railways in Canada, is here. He conferred with the board of trade today. After visiting Victoria he will proceed through the Kootenays. A report will be presented at the next session of the house.

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SHOOTING AT OTTAWA.

Bodley Takes Second Place in McDougall Cup Match.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 26.—(Special)—The Dominion Rifle Association matches opened today with fine weather, excellent shooting and 397 entries. Three matches were shot, the Tyrone Bankers and McDougall Cup. The Tyrone Bankers match nine possibilities were made.

Tyrone Match—Chief Petty Officer of H. M. S. Crescent won; Gannor Perry, Toronto, second; Pte. Emmett, Ottawa, third; Ferris, Sixth Regiment, and Captain of the Fifth Regiment Victoria also took prizes.
 Bankers Match—Mosseron, Ferris, Mortimer and Wilson of the Sixth and Carvin, McDougall and Richardson of the Fifth Regiment won prizes.
 McDougall Cup—Bodley, Fifth Regiment, Victoria, was second, and other British Columbia prize men were Mortimer, Mosseron, Ferris and Wilson, Sixth Regiment, and Fleming, Richardson and Carvin of the Fifth Regiment.

Preparing For The Cup Races

Shamrock Has a Sail Stretching Spin in a Light Breeze.

Columbia Placed in Dry Dock—Constitution to Be Overhauled Today.

New York, Aug. 26.—Shamrock II, after a light weather sail-stretching spin of six hours, returned to her mooring in Sandy Hook Bay at 4:25 p. m.

During the day five jib-top sails were tried. The Shamrock, accompanied by the steam yacht Erin, sailed to a point about two miles east of the Sandy Hook Lightship and then turned back. It was almost a flat calm for three hours. Then a light breeze from the southeast came which gave the yacht a chance to manoeuvre. Sir Thomas Lipton, Geo. L. Watson and J. J. Hilliard were on board during the trial.

The former cup defender Columbia was placed in dry dock today for cleaning and examining, preparatory to taking part next Saturday off Newport in the first of the official trials to select a defender to meet the Shamrock. She will probably be taken to Newport next Wednesday.

Boston, U. S., Aug. 26.—The Constitution came from Newport this afternoon, beating up her main sail club topsails forestay-sail and pib as far as Sandy Hook light for the purpose of enabling the designer, who was on board, to see what changes aloft and necessary, before she entered the trial races Saturday over the Brenton's Reef course. When abreast of Sandy Point, the craft was luffed up into the wind, and the Mounties towed her over to her anchorage, a distance of four miles. Mr. Duncan remained in Newport, but will be here from day to day as the work of overhauling progresses. The Constitution will be taken out on the marine railway tomorrow at high water.

EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE

Workman in Factory Near Ottawa Blown to Pieces and Two Others Injured.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Aug. 26.—A dynamite factory four miles from the city blew up today. John Hudson, employed in mixing nitroglycerine, was blown to atoms. James Fulford and John Cyr, working in another department, were seriously injured. The buildings were all ruined.

Mr. Charlson has notified the department of public works that he expects to finish the work of construction of the all-Canadian telegraph line to Dawson on September 15.
 Census Commissioner Blue denies that schedules of the census of 1891 are being sent in for purposes of investigation to commissioners of the census of 1901. It is said that whatever investigation is to be made as to the validity of the 1891 census will be before a committee of parliament.

GRANBY SMELTER.

General Meeting in Montreal and Election of Officers.

Montreal, Aug. 26.—The first general meeting of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting & Power Company, took place today in the head office of the company, Canada Life Building, Mr. Miner occupying the chair. The company's by-laws were adopted, and the annual meeting was fixed for October 2, 1902. The following directors and officers of the company were elected:

S. H. C. Miner, president; J. P. Graves, vice-president and general manager; J. H. McKechnie, Payette Brown, A. C. Flumerfelt (assistant general manager), W. H. Robinson, A. L. White (secretary), A. H. Galer (assistant to the manager), R. R. Macaulay, (assistant secretary), G. W. Wooster, (treasurer), W. A. Mattley and Gardner Stevens, (auditors).

CHILLI'S CONDITION.

Government is Said Not to be Very Secure.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Advises which have just been received, throw some light on the report from Santiago to the effect that the committee on foreign affairs of the Chilean Congress had decided to recommend appropriations to defray the expense of sending delegates from Chile to the approaching international American congress at Mexico City. These advises without questioning the accuracy of the original statement, make it appear that the committee on foreign affairs does not represent the party in control of the executive branch of the government. It is said that in consequence the declarations of this committee are by no means final and therefore it does not follow from its last action that Chili will refuse to attend the congress.

OVER A CENTURY.

Windsor, Ont., Aug. 26.—(Special)—Mrs. Nancy Campbell, of Dunnegan, Kenyon, Ont., celebrated her 103rd birthday yesterday. She has over 200 grand children and great grand children.

Fishing Is Over

Probable That This Week Will See End of Sockeye Catch on Fraser.

The Pack Will Not Reach Nine Hundred Thousand Cases.

Stave Lake Power—An Interview With Mr. Horne-Payne of London.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—Although there is no limit to the sockeye season, as in previous years there will be little more fishing done on the Fraser this season. For the past few days the canneries have not put up more than 200 cases daily each, and it is probable that by Saturday the nets will be hung up.

The total pack to date has been estimated by the secretary of the Canners' Association to be about 830,000 cases, and the total pack of the season will certainly fall short of 900,000. It was thought up to the first of last week that the million mark would surely be reached, but the sockeyes ceased to run almost as suddenly as they started in. Owing to the big sockeye pack no humpbacks will be canned this season. It was learned that the best authority that a large proportion of the salmon pack is to be stored in the canneries, so that the English markets may not be glutted. As the salmon feed consists of nine vessels, capable on an average of carrying 60,000 cases each, it cannot be contemplated to send more than half a million cases to market the balance to be retained for disposal after the market has recovered from the effects of the big consignments from British Columbia and Puget Sound.

The Colonist correspondent was informed this morning on the best possible authority that the same firm who installed the Snoqualmie Falls power plant and supplied Seattle, Tacoma and intermediate towns with power, have taken over the Stave Lake power proposition. This company have now invested in Seattle interests representing \$7,000,000, so that their financial standing is unquestionable. Before the Stave Lake Power Company, officially announce their readiness to go ahead, some details of an unimportant nature have to be arranged. To all intents and purposes, however, the agreement was made on Saturday. That with the eastern American financiers to push the scheme to a successful issue. The Snoqualmie power is 37 miles from Seattle, and 45 from Tacoma. The Stave Lake power is 38 miles from Vancouver across the country, and 47 by the railway. The Snoqualmie power pressure is greater, as the falls are higher, but as they are narrower than the Stave Lake falls, the amount of horse power is about the same. The Stave Lake power is 5,000 horse power only. It is probable that the Stave Lake Company will utilize 12,000 horse the first year, but their capacity will enable them to add from year to year until they can supply a city or district ten times as large as that proposed to be covered. According to agreement the company are ready to deposit \$25,000 in October as a forfeit and \$100,000 worth of work before they draw it out.

Mr. Horne-Payne, English director of the B. C. Electric Railway Company is in the city. He stated to the Colonist correspondent this morning that although many improvements were contemplated in Victoria, he could not disclose their nature until after conferring with Mr. Bunten, the manager. There would, however, be no large sum spent in addition to what was already being expended. In Vancouver, however, they contemplated increasing the power, he could not say to what extent, but a large sum of money would be spent, and it was possible the capacity would be doubled. They had spent in Vancouver \$210,000 since 1896, but they had no idea that Vancouver would take such a leap forward in four or five years and it was difficult to keep pace with the rapid development. Mr. Payne said he had been in Vancouver five years ago, but such wonderful improvements had taken place that he did not recognize the town. He was also very enthusiastic over the wonderful growth of Manitoba, and the North West. His party had come as far as Manitoba in Mr. Wm. McKenzie's private car, the Ali Kokum, and had visited the wheat fields of the North West. Mr. Payne stated that he had an excellent authority that the yield would be 60,000 bushels and the farmers would get for this 55 cents a bushel.

In speaking of the Stave Lake power proposition, he said that he only had the opinion of experts to go by. They had had the power examined by three different authorities on such matters in 1894, 1895 and 1896, and each of these authorities had reported that the cost would be out of proportion to the financial advantages to be derived for tramway purposes. These reports had been the cost of establishing the plant at a much higher figure than those who have the matter in hand now. He had thought after the Stave Lake power had been examined that steam was the best available power and the company think so yet.

FLOODING THE MINES.

Water From the Lake Being Poured Into Workings of Cumberland.

Nanaimo, Aug. 26.—(Special)—Thos. Morgan, inspector of mines, who returned from Cumberland on the Thistle on Saturday, stating that the work of flooding the mines has already commenced there. A trench has been opened through the 100 yards separating the mine from the lake and they are letting about 2,000 gallons a minute in from that source. In addition to this there are two pumps working, which, together with the surface water, increases about 1,000 gallons a minute, so that about 3,000 gallons a minute are being poured in. At this rate it will take about a month to flood the mine. Inspector Morgan estimates that it will be two years before the lower workings of the mine will be in a condition to work again. The upper workings, which have been untouched by the fire, will be in shape to work, however.

It has been found that owing to the oil which is found in the shale of the mine that the fire was running into the shale, which necessitated the management taking these measures and flooding the mine as the only course open to them.

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Icebergs in The Passage

Humboldt Reports Many Large Bergs Near Where Islander Was Lost.

Clergyman Tells of the Burial of the Dead at Juneau.

According to advices received from the north by steamers now arriving from Lynn canal, there is much ice in the channel in which the Islander was wrecked by collision with a berg. Pursuer McClelland, of the Dolphin, says Stevens Passage and the mouth of Lynn canal were filled with icebergs, many almost as large as the ship, when it was passed through those waters on her return voyage. Others arriving from the north have also told of the prevalence of more ice than usual in northern waters.

Pursuer Bishop, who remained at Juneau to look after the company's interests there, is expected to return by the steamer Danube, which is now due on Thursday or Friday, and from him will be learned the approximate amount of treasure that has come down with the steamer, for the salvage of which offers are now being made to the C. P. N. Company by Vancouver divers, providing the company will secure a new diving gear for the divers to the depth of water in which the sunken steamer is supposed to lie.

Since the disaster Pursuer Bishop has been well spoken of by the survivors, and one passenger who passed through the terrible scenes in that struggle for life after the steamer sank, says that Mr. Bishop was responsible for the saving of several lives. The pursuer took command of one of the lifeboats and transferring passengers he could from it to another boat headed for the shore, he and those with him rowed amongst the drowning people in the icy water, picking many from bits of wreckage and from the waters. The pursuer, with his crew of "Coastal boys," were coming," gave heart to several to cling on to the wreckage they held until rescued. He worked hard himself, and his example made others work.

Governor Ross will remain but a few days in Victoria before returning to Dawson, the press of official business necessitating his return. He will leave about September 4 for Dawson. His children will remain in Victoria, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. McKay, their grand parents.

FROM THE SCENE.

Rev. Mr. Evans Tells of Funerals at Juneau of Victims of Islander Disaster.

Rev. J. A. Evans, who is a guest at the Dallas, is a clergyman who has returned from the scene of the Islander wreck, and assisted in the funeral services when 13 unidentified dead were buried at Juneau on Saturday, August 17. The remains were all photographed, he said, before being interred, and of identified remains, Mr. Gurr, of Juneau, conducted the funeral services. Rev. Mr. Evans assisting. All the bodies were taken to the cemetery at the same time. Juneau was wrapt in sorrow because of the accident, and the profusion of sympathy and the profusion of their floral offerings was marked evidence of the sorrow of the people. When the Cottage City, on which steamer Mr. Evans came south, left Juneau, the search for the bodies was still going on. One of the Cottage City's passengers was so struck with the horror of the Islander disaster that he refused to continue his voyage.

THE LATE P. W. BELL.

Characteristic Story of the Lamented Hudson's Bay Company's Officer.

A Victorian tells a story characteristic of the late P. W. Bell, one of the victims of the Islander wreck. A party were leaving Winnipeg for the West, and Mr. Bell went to the station to see them off. One of them said to the late Hudson's Bay Company's factor, "You'd better come along."

"Don't care," he do," shouted Bell, as he jumped aboard the train, and without grip, trunk, or anything other than what he stood and had in his pockets, Mr. Bell came along—and thus was it that he made one trip to the coast.

A Port Arthur despatch says: "Peter Warren Bell, who was drowned in the foundering of the Islander, was one of the earliest Algonia residents. In the early sixties he was the Hudson's Bay company's factor at Lacloche, Lake Huron, and was afterwards moved to Michipicoten, where he had one of the Hudson's Bay posts for many years. He retired from the company's service about five years ago after spending some years in Unalakleet. He was highly respected and much liked by all who knew him in this country."

CHINESE "GO TO LEAVE."

Oriental Out on the Hating Because of the Islander Accident.

All the Orientals employed in various domestic and menial capacities on the steamer Hating are likely to leave their places as a direct result of the Islander catastrophe. Two of their countrymen were drowned on the latter vessel, but that is not the whole reason, says the Vancouver World.

The Chinese have got it into their pig-tailed heads that in case of an accident they will not get even a dash for their lives with the white men. They quote the experience of some of their relatives and friends on the Islander and allege that they had unfair treatment at the hands of some of the white crew members. "I go to leave," said the cook on the Hating to the chief officer on Saturday. "You leave, too?" he inquired.

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The Board Of Aldermen

Complaints of Latitude Allowed Tramway Company in Dealing With Streets

More Money for Exhibition—Reception Committee's Demand Reduced.

The condition in which the Street Railway Company leave the streets after ripping them up formed one of the principal themes at last night's meeting of the city council. Some aldermen thought that the city engineer had all the power necessary in his own hands and should insist on the laws being carried out. This is a fruitful source of complaint and the officers were directed to see that the laws were carried out.

From the secretary of the department of public works, Ottawa, came a letter approving of the plan of the new Point Lillie bridge. This was filed.

The Agent General of British Columbia in London reported that in answer to the request of the city council he had inserted an advertisement in English and Scottish papers offering city debentures for sale, and enclosing account for \$125 covering cost of same. Ordered paid.

Bodwell & Duff on behalf of W. J. Pender, wrote with respect to the riparian rights of their client and others owning property abutting on James Bay flats, and pointing out that the same riparian rights were being sold by the city engineer to the same parties. On motion of Ald. Yates a committee was appointed to interview the parties interested.

This morning stated that he had been informed that the lots were originally sold by meter and bounds; an old map showing a red line in the rear of all the lots.

The deputy minister of marine and fisheries advised the council that the government was in favor of granting a transfer of the strip of land on which James Bay bridge stands, and asking for the lines of the strip on Belleville street. Filed, the required information to be supplied.

This morning stated that he and the city engineer had looked over the ground on Belleville street, and thought that 100 feet from the south line of the street should be asked for.

The drain on Belcher street was again brought to the attention of the council by Mr. G. H. Barnard, who wished to know if it was proposed to abate the nuisance. Referred to the special committee on septic tanks.

A. M. Jones complained that the odors from the premises of his neighborhood of his premises was a nuisance, and asking that some steps be taken to remedy the matter. The owner of the property also complained that he had difficulty in securing tenants from the same cause. The council agreed to take action.

Thos. Walker, on behalf of the Knights of Pythias, called attention to the Chinese laundry adjoining their hall on Broad street. A report will be made as to the sanitary condition of the premises.

A. O. Roy applied for work as pile driver on the James Bay causeway. Referred to the city engineer with power to act.

T. G. Rayner asked why he was taxed for keeping two pigs when he had but one house. The state of the roads caused many break downs, and necessitated a second wagon. Laid on the table.

Alfred Taylor, who is about to erect a manufactory for brass bedsteads in this city, asked the council to grant him a secure exemption from taxes if he located his works in this city. The factory would be capable of turning out 200 bedsteads a week. This went to the finance committee for a report.

The council at Campbellland, presented the city with a doe as a donation to the park menagerie. Accepted with thanks.

F. M. Rattenbury asked permission to erect a brick veneer structure with wood-roof, to be used as a range and boiler house, on the lot owned by the city. The building inspector will furnish a report.

W. Moresby, secretary of the reception committee, asked the council to set aside \$5,000 for the purposes of the committee. This was the amount which the investigation committee thought would be necessary. The communication was laid on the table, and on motion of Ald. Yates, the writer will be informed that the council is not prepared to pay more than \$5,000 for the purposes of the reception.

Ald. Cameron, as a member of the reception committee, stated that the sub-committee on finance had reported in favor of \$5,000, and although no money had been received, the amount had been raised \$1,000 by the general committee.

Mrs. V. E. Cox directed attention to the destruction done at the cemetery by dogs running over the plots. Referred to the cemetery committee.

The city solicitor wrote that he was of opinion that the proposed by-law to further regulate barber shops would be ultra vires. Received and filed.

The same official, with respect to the first lot who had to tender for the supply of lumber for the year, and stating that the city was not obliged to take any particular quantity. Received and filed.

The city engineer and building inspector reported that \$100 additional repairs would have to be done on the exhibition buildings in order to make the outside balconies safe. The finance committee were given authority to have the matter attended to.

The sanitary inspector made application for an increase of \$20 per month in his salary, giving good and cogent reasons in the way of savings effected, why the increase should be granted. Laid on the table until a board of health meeting is held tonight.

J. A. Anderson and several other ratepayers residing near the corner of Menzies and Superior streets, asked that the Street Railway Company be requested to replace the street in as good a state as they found it previous to relaying the new track.

Ald. Beckwith said that complaints had constantly been made in this connection, and if the city engineer had not the power to see that the streets were kept in good order, it was time a change was made. It was simply disgraceful that matters remain as they were. The company at present paid no attention to the orders of the engineer.

Ald. Cameron pointed out that the agreement with the city compelled the company to leave the streets in as good a condition as they found them. The engineer should go over the whole line. Old ties and rails were strewn all along, and when the wet weather set in the streets mentioned would be veritable quagmires. The petition was referred to the city engineer to see that all the streets mentioned would be a veritable pair by the Tramway Company, according to law.

Tenders for repairs to heaters for the electric light station were read from Andrew Gray for \$220, and the Victoria Machinery Depot for \$218. Referred to electric light committee.

A report from the electric light committee advised that sundries required in the construction of the extension of the electric lighting service be purchased. This includes two carloads of poles, wire and iron arms, etc. Received and adopted.

The finance committee reported accounts amounting to \$5,708.07, which were ordered paid.

The fire warden recommended that in answer to Mr. Elliott's letter, the fire underwriters be informed that their request as to cleaning yards is being carried out.

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Ald. Cameron moved, and Ald. Brydon seconded the following, which carried unanimously:

Moved by Ald. W. G. Cameron, seconded by Ald. Brydon, and resolved, that this council be informed with profound regret of the serious loss of life and property occasioned by the disaster to the steamship Islander on her return trip from Skagway on the 15th inst., and that the council desires to express its sympathy to the families of those who have been so sadly bereaved thereby; and to place on record its appreciation of the active sympathy shown by the citizens of Juneau, Alaska, with the surviving crew.

Many of whom were destined for Victoria and their tender care of those who perished. Also of the humane and generous offer of the people of Juneau on that occasion in opening their homes for the shelter and comfort of those who escaped the imminent peril in which they were placed by the accident.

And he further resolved that a public subscription be entered under the charge of this council for the relief of those requiring aid amongst the Victoria sufferers by the Islander disaster; and that this council, on the recommendation of the finance committee, contribute the sum of \$250 towards the fund.

The Mayor suggested that as some of the relatives of those lost in the accident were in absolute need, the corporation should start a public subscription list, contributing say \$250 themselves. There were some families who were not at all provided for.

Ald. Yates was of opinion that the council should go slow, as they were handling other peoples' money.

Ald. Beckwith moved that the public subscription be entered under the charge of this council for the relief of those requiring aid amongst the Victoria sufferers by the Islander disaster; and that this council, on the recommendation of the finance committee, contribute the sum of \$250 towards the fund.

This was seconded by Ald. Hall, and carried.

Ald. Williams hoped that this would lead to the sufferers receiving a great benefit. If the attention of Lord Strathcona were called to this list, he thought he would make a handsome donation.

Ald. Cameron, seconded by Ald. Beckwith, asked leave to introduce two by-laws entitled the "Streets Widening By-laws." Leave was granted, and the by-laws were read at first time. They are in connection with the widening of Menzies street and paving of Government street.

A by-law to carry out the expropriation of the lot of the corner of Government and Wharf streets, was introduced by Ald. Cooley, and was also read a first time.

Another by-law to make an alteration in the Rock Bay Bridge Traffic Regulations by-law was introduced and laid over until next regular meeting.

The council then adjourned.

STEEL STRIKE.

Pittsburg, Aug. 26.—President Theo. J. Shaffer of the Amalgamated Association of Iron & Steel Workers tonight declared absolutely that he had no knowledge or authority to negotiate with the steel company, and that if such a move had been started it did not have the official sanction of the organization. Nevertheless the subject will not drop tonight. It is said the conciliatory committee of the civic federation already prominent in the matter, is fully prepared to carry on negotiations and will, if necessary, endeavor to secure the good offices of Archbishop Ireland, Bishop Potter, Daniel Hanna and Seth Low, members of their organization, to give prominence to the committee that the proposal will be received by the steel corporation.

The steel people pile the claims of the association and point to the failure to induce the South Chicago and Duquesne men strikes as evidence that the strength of the Amalgamated association has departed.

ALBANY-NANAIMO.

Party Sets Out to Survey Route of Railway.

Nanaimo, B. C., Aug. 26.—(Special)—D. R. Harris and N. Sheppard started on the survey of the Nanaimo-Alberni railway route this morning. The first camp is at the second Nanaimo lake tonight. J. Halpenny, Alberni, is here tonight to join the party. The party will follow the north fork of the Nanaimo river to its source, and thence seek a pass to Alberni. The survey is expected to take a month.

BULGARIAN ATROCITIES.

Reports That They Drenched Turks With Oil and Burned Them.

London, Aug. 27.—Specials from Odessa and Vienna give uncorroborated reports of Kurdish atrocities in the hill districts of Armenia and of fighting between Turks and Bulgarians in Macedonia, several persons being killed at Pawnsowitz.

Another despatch says that the Bulgarians seized five Turks drenched them with petroleum and burned them alive.

AT COLON.

Report That Rebels From Bluefields Are Taking Part In Operations.

Colon, Colombia, Aug. 26.—A report is circulated here today to the effect that the rebels who were threatening the town of Bluefields, had been driven from the town. The United States gunboat Machias anchored today in Colon harbor.

THIRD ROYAL CANADIANS.

Objection to Deducting From Pay For Pension Fund.

Halifax, Aug. 26.—There is much grumbling over the decision of the Dominion government to deduct five per cent from the pay of warrant officers of the Third Royal Canadian Regiment in order to provide a pension for them.

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BOULLOT—At Westholm, on July 23rd, the wife of Peter Boulloit, of a daughter. WALTER—At Oakhouse, Esquimalt, on 25th inst., the wife of Lieut. Walter, R. N., of a daughter.

MARRIED.

AMIAN-ATKINS—At Revelstoke, on Tuesday, August 20th, 1901, by Rev. C. A. Proctor, M.A., Chas. J. Amian to Elizabeth Atkins, both of Revelstoke.

GRICE-SIMPSON—At Vancouver, on August 24th, by Rev. W. C. Dodd of Cumberland, D. J. G. Grice, and Miss Gussie Simpson.

DIED.

DUNCAN—Near Douglas Island, Alaska, by the wreck of the S.S. Islander, on August 15th, Dr. John A. Duncan, born at Duncunville, Russell Co., Ontario. The funeral will leave his late residence, 70 Fort street, on Tuesday the 27th inst., at 2:30 p. m., to St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, thence to Ross Bay cemetery.

CLEARY—On August 24th, at Vancouver, Miss Florence E. Cleary, aged 24 years.

DREHO—At Haysne, on Thursday, August 15th, Daniel Dreho, a native of Italy.

PRONCE—At Moodyville, on Wednesday, August 21st, Freddie Kent, only child of J. M. and Martha Pronce, of Vancouver, aged 2 years and 8 months.

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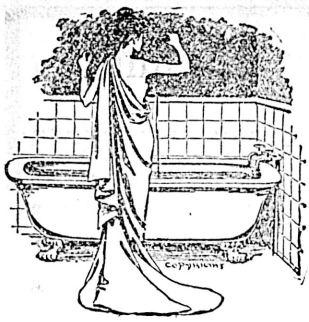
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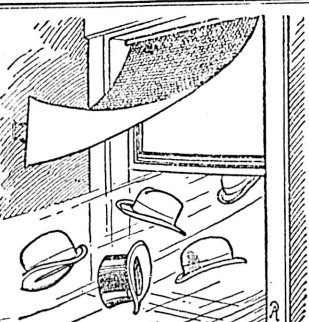
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POLICE COURT.

Charges Son-in-Law With Assault—Chinaman Found Insane.

In the police court yesterday morning, Dr. Driscoll charged his son-in-law, Joseph Ahern, with assaulting him. It was asserted that Ahern went to Driscoll's house while intoxicated and used abusive language. Driscoll ordered him from the premises, and then the row began. Ahern's story was to the effect that he went to the house, and as he was passing the side of the house he saw some Chinamen cutting wood in the yard. He went in the front door and passed out into the yard where he found Driscoll. He asked him how much the Chinamen were being paid for cutting the wood. Driscoll said \$1.50. Ahern said he did not see why \$1.50 should be paid for cutting up 50 cents' worth of wood. Then, according to his story, Driscoll struck him on the head from behind with a cane, and stunned him. Mr. Driscoll had some scratches on his nose and said Ahern struck him. But Ahern swore positively that he did not strike Driscoll. The case lasted all morning and about two hours in the afternoon. The magistrate at length adjourned the case until Wednesday, advising Driscoll and Ahern to settle matters out of court before then. Mr. Jay appeared for Mr. Driscoll, and strongly argued that Ahern's story should be bound over to keep the peace. Several summonses have been issued against cyclists for riding on the sidewalk.

At June, the Chinaman who entered the residence of Mr. James Dean, Quadra street, early in the morning, one day last week, and was wandering aimlessly about the house, when found by the owner, and given in charge of the police, has been adjudged insane.

THE INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION.
Work Must Be Rushed on the Grounds and Buildings.

The management committee of the exhibition are awakening to the necessity of hurrying up the preparations for the fair, which is to be held on October 1 and following days. Only thirty-five days remain to complete arrangements, and although much may be accomplished in that time, it is felt that every hour should be fully utilized in active work. The ground, which has been standing ready for the installation of fixtures, machinery, etc., and the general decorations of the main hall should be complete at least ten days or a week before the exhibits begin to arrive, so that there will be no delay in the installation of the exhibits. The best advantage.

Attention has been called to the bad condition of the roadway and sidewalks on Cadboro Bay road, and it is earnestly urged that the city and the provincial department of public works (each of which has jurisdiction over portions of the road) will see to it that the thoroughfare is put in a state of repair in ample time for the needs of the exhibition, which the exhibition will greatly contribute.

A general meeting of the committee of management will be held tomorrow—Wednesday—night, at which matters of importance will be considered.

WORDS OF PRAISE.

Rev. Dr. Campbell in Sunday's Sermon Speaks of Islander Disaster.

Rev. Dr. Campbell, in his sermon at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday night, took occasion to refer to the loss of the steamer Islander, and spoke words of praise for the deeds of the officers of that steamer during the last few minutes of the steamer's life. He said in the course of his remarks, that no blame could be attached to any for the disaster, for the officers and crew of the steamer were careful, experienced and efficient, and had done all in their power to save life. The wonder was when the boat foundered so rapidly in the dead of night, not that so many had been drowned, but that so many had been saved. The fact that every boat had been launched without mishap was deserving of the highest praise to those in charge. Speaking of the reports which have appeared in the Sound papers, the reverend doctor said that it was humiliating that the grief of the bereaved should be aggravated by the press of a neighboring city publishing reports which had been shown by the verdict of the jury at Victoria to have been without foundation. Speaking of the dangers of travel, he condemned the popular craze of today for speed in travel, for, as was well known, when speed was increased, the danger was increased. The speaker closed his remarks with kindly spoken references to the dead and those bereaved.

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George West, known as "Kid" West, who was serving a five-years' sentence at Walla Walla, and who was taken to Dawson to give evidence against murderer O'Brien, has been pardoned by Governor Rogers. He was sentenced for burglary in Seattle, where he was discovered by the occupant of the room. West attempted to cut his way out with a razor, but was finally overpowered and his conviction and sentence subsequently followed. West's pardon at this time seems to be largely a reward for his assistance in the conviction of O'Brien, the murderer of Clayton, Refle and Olson in the Yukon. West was taken from Walla Walla penitentiary to the Yukon after staying some months in the provincial jail in this city, until Detective Seelye was ready to take him, and was an important witness in O'Brien's trial. The weight of the pressure brought on the governor to pardon West's pardon is not known here. Governor Ross of Washington gave out a typewritten statement which embodied his reasons for issuing the pardon. The governor's statement is as follows: "West was convicted in Seattle of attempted burglary, but in view of his services rendered in the conviction of O'Brien, the Yukon murderer of Clayton and Refle, and the further fact that he was imprisoned for fifteen months and that his pardon was asked for by all the officers of the law, Governor Rogers concluded to take the action indicated."

PREMIER IN ATLIN DISTRICT

Hon. Mr. Dunsinuir and Party Visit the Camp and See the Mines.

Special to the Colonist.

Atlin, Aug. 19.—Premier Dunsinuir, Mrs. Dunsinuir and family, with a large party, paid a flying trip to Atlin on Saturday last. They arrived about 8:30 a.m. on the Scotia. Soon after his arrival the Premier was presented with an address by the Atlin Board of Trade, setting forth various urgent needs of the town and district, and requesting the head of the government to use his powerful influence in remedying some of the most pressing matters which have been brought before the committee.

Mr. Dunsinuir received the deputation kindly and hopes are entertained that results may follow which will prove of lasting benefit to this district. The party then took carriages and drove to Discovery claim, below the Calahona group on Pine creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunsinuir and party were shown the large nugget at the Rank of B. N. A., and evidently were much impressed at the solid evidence of wealth which these specimens indicate the district contains.

Mrs. Hitchcock and Miss Merrington entertained the visitors to afternoon tea at the Grand hotel after their return from the mines, and the whole party afterwards left by the Scotia the same evening.

The news of the sinking of the Islander was a great shock to the residents of Atlin and district and great sympathy is expressed for those who have been friends and relatives in the fearful catastrophe. The Atlin Club came out with a special edition on Saturday, giving all obtainable particulars of the accident to date.

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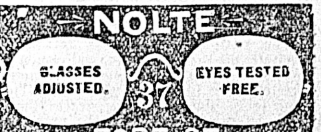
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Toronto, Aug. 26.—(Special)—The final C. L. A. senior championship match between St. Catharines and Brantford took place Saturday at the island, and was witnessed by 8,000 people. St. Catharines won by 4 to 2.

The Shamrocks defeated the Nationals and the Capitols the Torontos.

Do you know that there isn't a case, no matter how acute or how long standing, that South American Rheumatic Cure will not relieve almost at a trice and work a permanent cure. Its action on a system so disordered is marvellous. It works quickly, quietly, effectually and harmlessly, and leaves no bad after effects. It does not cure all diseases, but it does cure rheumatism.

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Agents wanted for Dr. Chase's Last and Complete Receipt Book.

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LOCAL NEWS

An elegant line of China Dinner Sets, in beautiful and chaste patterns, at \$25 and \$30, have just been received by Weller Bros.

Pillow Sham Holders in latest improved patterns, easily adjusted to wood or iron bedsteads, at 50c. and \$1.00 each. A new line just received by Weller Bros.

A large consignment of Inland Linoleums (exclusive designs for stores, hotels, halls, etc., where traffic is heavy). We have a very extensive range, comprising three grades at \$1.25, \$1.40 and \$1.50 per square yard. Weller Bros.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

Persian Sherbet forms one of the most wholesome, delicious and refreshing drinks known. As to convenience, it is unsurpassed; you put a tea-spoonful in to a tumbler of water and it is ready. W. A. Jamieson, of 33 Port Street, has just received another large shipment of sherbet from Batger & Co., of London, England.

NOTICE.

Having purchased all the stock in trade, tools and good will of the B. C. NOVELTY WORKS, 105 Douglas Street, all work will receive prompt attention until further notice at 55 FORT STREET.

Dominion Bakery

Cor. Cook and North Park Sts.

A few reasons why you should use our bread: It is absolutely pure. Nothing but the very best flour used in its manufacture. Will keep much longer than any other. It contains no lard or other animal fats. Always sweet and will not upset the most delicate stomach. It also has the true home-made flavor. Try it.

A. COOMBS, PROPRIETOR.
Tel. 712. 221 Cook Street.

Classified advertisements, one cent per word per insertion, cash. No advertisement inserted for less than 25 cents.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

WANTED—Man to help with kennel of dogs, fowls, garden, etc. Wages \$20 and board. Bradley-Dryden, Sidney.

WANTED—A strong youth to drive wagon. J. W. Mellor, Fort Street.

WANTED—A strong boy who can handle a horse, for delivery. Apply to E. M. Nadek, 12 Store Street.

WANTED AT ONCE—Smart boy. Apply Wm. Stewart, 47 Fort St.

WANTED—Experienced Shirt Maker; also learners for our factory. Apply at warehouse, J. Piercy & Co., Yates street Victoria.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

WANTED—Military assistant and apprentice. Apply "The Elite," 43 Fort St.

WANTED—A nurse to look after two children. Apply Mrs. James Simon, Rockland Avenue, between 11 a. m. and 2 p. m.

WANTED—Wardmaid. Apply Matron Jubilee Hospital.

WANTED—Nursemaid. Apply Matron Jubilee Hospital.

WANTED—Nurse. Apply Mrs. Ward, Westholme.

WANTED—General servant. Apply 129 Quadra street.

WANTED—A woman to look after children. Apply Mrs. J. Purdy, 109 Menzies St.

WANTED—Apprentices for dressmaking. Apply corner of Yates and Broad streets, Moody block, Mrs. Kirkwood.

WANTED—Girl to assist in second work. Apply Mrs. Leuz, 97 Cook, between 10 and 12.

WANTED—A good housemaid. Mrs. F. B. Pemberton, Mountjoy, Fort Bay Road.

WANTED—A young woman for a dry goods store. Apply Dry Goods, Colonist office.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—By active and industrious young man of good habits, convert, sober, seeks acquaintance with intelligent Catholic lady with similar disposition. Some means, aged 25 to 30. Matrimony. Address A. Z., Colonist office.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Young woman wishes position as useful companion or mother's help. Address K. Z., Colonist office.

WANTED—Situation: good writer, over three years' experience in general office work. Refer to Mrs. H. Macdonald, Box 102, Roseland, B. C.

WANTED—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—At Eden's Jam Store, 125 Fort Street, old copper, brass, bottles, sacks, etc. Quantities will be called for.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS.

TO LET—Housekeeping and single rooms, 80 Douglas Street.

TO LET—Furnished room or part of house, with use of kitchen, near Beacon Hill. Address F. G., Colonist office.

TO LET—A well furnished flat of 3 or 4 rooms for housekeeping. Address Flat, this office.

TO LET—Furnished housekeeping rooms at Elsom House, 101 Pandora Street. Apply 97 Quadra Street.

TO LET—Bright, sunny furnished front room for lady. 76 Kane Street.

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD.

TO LET—Room with or without board for gentleman. 135 Broad Street.

SEASIDE BOARD—Fine bay, with sandy beaches, fronting on Plummer's Pass. Steamer Triangles Wednesdays and Saturdays. F. Sturdy, Galliano Island.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Friday evening, a black satin truck belt, gilt buckle set with blue stones, between Quebec and Beacon Hill. Finder please leave at Colonist office.

LOST—On Friday evening, in Park, or along Cook Street to North Park Street, gold bracelet with blue stones. Finder please leave at Colonist office.

LOST—A small gold locket, with initials R. M. Please return to Colonist.

PERSONAL.

HONEST AND RESPECTABLE FARMER wishes acquaintance with sensible young woman. Write and receive card. Address Box L. X., Colonist office.

MRS. J. D. SINCLAIR, NURSE, has returned from England. Address 3 Queen's Avenue, Phone 757.

FOR SALE—HOTELS.

COUNTRY HOTEL—With 100 acres of land, containing 17 rooms; excellent fishing. Will be sold cheap or leased for years. Apply to W. Whitmore, Real Estate Agent, Duncan, V. I.

HOTELS FOR SALE—Call and see our list. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

FOR SALE—Business of a large, centrally located hotel, including furniture, etc., doing a good business. For particulars, apply to the B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St.

MADAME RAAB, Clairvoyant and healing medium. Gives sittings daily at 23 View Street.

MATERNITY AND CONVALESCENT HOME. With all the advantages of a country residence. Close to town. For terms, etc., apply to M. D. Rosedale, Maywood, Victoria, B. C.

FOR SALE—TIMBER LIMITS. 2400 ACRES, chiefly yellow cedar, \$5000. For particulars apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS. FOR SALE—A small milk trade. Apply to F. Wilkinson, Oaklands, City.

FOR SALE—Selling boat and fittings complete. Apply N. P. O. Box 109.

FOR SALE—A good milk business. Apply 31 Rock Bay Avenue.

FOR SALE—Two horizontal engines 12A18; also 2 brick yard boilers 104 feet by 54 inches, and fittings. These engines are suitable for marine work or sawmill. For particulars apply James Hunter, Box 43, 425.

FOR SALE—Bittern's Pleasure Launch in good condition, cheap. For particulars apply to Bittern, 145 Yates Street, Victoria, B. C., opposite Dominion Hotel.

SEWING MACHINES—Singer hand machine, \$100; needles for all machines, 25c; new dozen, 45 Fort Street.

FOR SALE—A large and valuable assortment of handsome lace braids, in all colors, 50 cents a dozen, and gold buttons, at Mrs. Adams' 78 Douglas Street.

POULTRY, LIVE STOCK, ETC. GOOD RELIABLE HORSE FOR SALE cheap. Apply E. Beaumont, opposite driving park, Cadboro Bay Road.

FOR SALE—Young cow, three-quarters Jersey, and calf. Address C. J., this office.

FOR SALE—RESIDENCES. \$2400—PANDORA STREET—6-roomed modern dwelling, electric light, stable and lot, 30x100. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

LABOURETTE STREET—Nice cottage, with bath, etc., \$1050. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

SOOKE—670 Acres and lake, \$3,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd.

RICHARDSON STREET—Full lot and 7-roomed house, \$1800. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

KINGSTON STREET—Modern cottage, 6 rooms, full-sized lot, \$2,100. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

THE ARM—7-roomed modern dwelling, 2000 sq. ft., with electric light and water, frontage on road and water of 175 feet. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

DUNCAN—14 miles from railway station, residential property consisting of 23 acres, first class land, all cleared, modern 9-roomed house, stable and outbuildings, J. H. Whitmore, Real Estate Agent, Duncan, V. I.

ST. LOUIS STREET—Two cottages and one 2-story dwelling, with bath, etc., for sale, either singly or together. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

FERNSWOOD ROAD—(Corner), 14 lots and 1 1/2 story dwelling, 8 rooms, modern, barn, chicken house, etc., with 100 ft. frontage. Price \$2,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

TORONTO STREET—Cottage and full sized lot, \$1200. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

STAKESTRAPE ST.—New six-roomed cottage, four good lots, outbuildings, a bargain at \$1600. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

NORTH CHATHAM STREET—6-roomed cottage, stone foundation, with good bath, etc., lot 44x145, \$1700. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

JAMES BAY—Corner lot and four dwellings, cheap only \$500 each; must be sold at once. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

ROCKLAND AVENUE—Fine 2-story residence; one acre of land; grand view; \$5,500; terms. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

COTTAGES—Two cottages on Michigan Street, almost new, \$800 each. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

DALLAS ROAD—Modern 8-roomed dwelling, lot 60x120, tennis court, etc., will be sold very cheap. Also a new bungalow. Apply 40 Government St.

JAMES BAY—Two 5-roomed houses, each with bath, sold on very easy terms. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

HANDSOME RESIDENCE—Large modern dwelling in first class condition and view. Can also buy adjoining lot cheap. \$2,500. Price \$2,500. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

YATES STREET, centrally located, 10 roomed modern dwelling. Must be sold at once. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St.

SAN JUAN AVE.—Good six room modern cottage; nice view of Straits. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE. TENNYSON ROAD—14 miles from city, 2 acres under cultivation, good 6-roomed house, stable, orchard, tennis lawn, etc., cheap at \$3,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd.

CHEAP ACREAGE—Over 800 acres at \$100 per acre, on Pender. Steamboat runs in connection with V. S. Railway. An abundance of good timber. Cheapest property on the market. For full particulars apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St., Victoria.

VICTORIA WEST—Several good lots, from 200 to 3000 each. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

JAMES BAY—Toronto street, near Menzies, nice lot, \$500. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

ESQUIMALT ST., Victoria West, 2 1/2 building lots (60x120) per lot. Assessed value \$800. Apply 40 Government St.

CHEAP LOTS—Corner of Russell and Langford streets, two nice lots, full of fruit, for \$600. Apply B. C. L. & I. A., Ltd., 40 Government St.

MANY OTHER FARMS—In all parts of the province, too numerous for publication. Call and get particulars. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd.

VICTORIA ARM—Five acres, all under cultivation and good building site, \$1,200. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

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CHURCHWAY—Near Douglas, two lots, \$1000 each. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

FORT STREET—Part of the Heywood Estate, just above Cook Street; nice building sites; prices reasonable; easy terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St.

PIMBROKE STREET—Three lots in a good location (near Government St.), \$850 each; cheap. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government Street.

BUSINESS LOTS—A number of good lots, centrally located, cheap. Call and see our list. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government Street.

\$2900—Corner lot, 60x120, Good 8-roomed modern house, with bath, etc., close to city. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government St.

HUMBOLDT STREET—One lot in a desirable locality, \$700. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

FOR SALE—Beautiful building site, commanding view of the Straits. Three lots for \$1000. Apply 40 Government Street.

OSWEGO STREET—Nice 6-roomed cottage, bath, etc., good garden, lot 55x120; \$1,800. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

WHARF STREET—Two fine waterfront lots, exceptionally cheap. \$2500 for two. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

YOUNG STREET, JAMES BAY—7 rooms, modern in every respect, good stable and outbuildings. Lot 51x120, only \$2,300. Apply 40 Government Street.

CHATHAM STREET (near Cook Street)—A beautiful building site, 60x120, exceptionally easy terms. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

2 1/2 ACRE LOTS—One-half mile from Duncan, on Cowichan River; good fishing. J. H. Whitmore, Real Estate Agent, Duncan, V. I.

FOR SALE—FARM LANDS. MITCHELL—A beautiful farm, excellent situation, large acreage, \$10,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government Street.

300 ACRES—14 miles from Duncan; will be divided into 20 acre blocks. Price from \$15,000 per acre. J. H. Whitmore, Real Estate Agent, Duncan, V. I.

SOMERSON LAKE—24 miles from Duncan, 250 acres; modern 11-roomed house; cottage, large orchard, etc., with 100 ft. frontage. Subdivide to suit purchaser. Full particulars apply to B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government Street, Victoria.

THE ARM—14 acres, cleared, waterfront, site for hotel, electric light and water pipes running past premises; whole amount of purchase money may remain on mortgage at 6 per cent, \$2,000. Apply 40 Government St. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd.

HIGHLAND DISTRICT—3 farms with buildings, etc., two at \$1000, one at \$3000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government Street.

EDUCATIONAL. MISS ARCHBUTT (London, Eng., and Germany)—Piano, singing, Harmony, and New term begins Monday, September 2nd. For prospectus and fees, apply 11 Bell St.

MISS G. C. FOX will reopen her school on Monday, 19th, at 36 Mason Street. Miss H. A. Fox will receive music pupils at the same address.

SHORTLAND SCHOOL—15 Broad Street, (upstairs) E. A. Macmillan, Principal. Individual instruction in Shortland, Typewriting, Bookkeeping.

BAKERY AND RESTAURANT. STEITZ BAKERY AND RESTAURANT, 54 Yates Street. Meals at all hours, day and night. Lunches for social parties, etc., on short notice. Public prepared on short notice. Eastern and European delicacies, same in season. Regular meals 25c.

PHOTOGRAPHERS. WM. BLAIR—Artistic Photographer, 99 Yates St., Victoria, B. C.

PHOTOGRAPHIC SUPPLIES—R. Maynard, 41 Pandora St. All kinds of photographic material for amateurs and professionals. Kodaks, Kolors, Koronas, Premos, Etc. Same block Mrs. R. Maynard's Art Studio, above views of British Columbia and Alaska for sale.

Same block—Maynard's Shoe and Findings Store, 41 Pandora St. Boots, Shoes, Leather and Shoe Findings. Phone 360b.

SUBURBAN RESIDENCES. A nice choice; call and see our list. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

SCAVENGERS. MRS. ED. LINES, general scavenger yards, etc., cleaned. Orders promptly attended to. Telephone 385; house 288 Yates St.

PETER HANSEN, City Scavenger, teamster and wood dealer, Building and 20 gravel for sale. Address, 49 Discovry Street. Telephone 34.

PAWNBROKERS. HIGHEST CASH PRICES paid for diamonds, old gold and silver. A. A. Aaronson, cor Broad and Johnson Sts.

TAILORING. VICTORIA TAILORING PARLORS, 60 Douglas Street. Custom labor only.

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Dated this 12th day of June, 1901. JOHN CLARKE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, for a license to prospect for coal upon the following described lands between the S. E. branch of the Telkwa and Buckley rivers, that is to say, commencing at a post marked G. A. Galloway, S. E. corner, about 2 miles south of the main Telkwa River, and adjoining Mary Eliza Blacklock's N. E. corner, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, to place of beginning, containing 640 acres of land, more or less.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1901. G. A. GALLOWAY.

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Dated this 15th day of June, 1901. MARY L. DRYDEN.

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Cheap Properties for Sale

1 lot, corner of Simcoe and South Turner streets.....\$800
1 lot, corner of First street and Kings road.....\$450
1 house and lot on Taunton street.....\$500
1 house and lot on Russell street, Victoria West.....\$500

These properties can be sold on payment of a deposit, the balance in monthly payments at a low rate of interest.

PEMBERTON & SON, - 45 Fort Street

THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, Aug. 26-8 p. m.
SYNOPSIS.
The present rather unsettled weather is due to the passage of a storm area over Northern British Columbia and the Northwest Territories. This disturbance is causing fresh to strong winds from the Straits, and has occasioned rain at New Westminster and on the lower Mainland, and cloudy weather throughout Western Oregon and Washington. It has been very warm in the Thompson river valley and high temperatures ranging from 76 to 90, are again reported from the Territories. A thunderstorm occurred at Medicine Hat.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria.....	57	65
New Westminster.....	57	65
Kamloops.....	59	82
Barkerville.....	54	77
Calgary.....	44	76
Winnipeg.....	40	69
Portland.....	52	62
San Francisco.....	52	60

TEMPERATURE.
For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time).
Yesterday:
Victoria and vicinity: Moderate or fresh winds from the south and west, partly cloudy, not much change in temperature.
Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, chiefly southerly, partly cloudy, with showers, stationary or higher temperature.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.
Report for 24 hours ending 5 a. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m. and 5 p. m.

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The Cascade Water Power

An Immense Force on Kettle River Being Utilized by the Company.

Plant Being Installed of Most Substantial and Modern Type.

The plant of the Cascade Water Power & Light Company, Limited, is situated on the main Kettle River at Cascade City. The river at this point rushes through a rocky gorge in a series of rapids and falls, for a distance of about half a mile, and has a natural fall in that distance of one hundred and twenty feet.

For the development of the power a dam has been constructed at the head of the gorge, which raises the water to a height of thirty-six feet above the natural level, thus giving a working head of one hundred and fifty-six feet at low water. The dam is constructed of timber cribwork filled with rock, is forty feet thick at the base and slopes back to a width of twenty-four feet on the top. The total length of the dam is four hundred feet, the total height from the base to the top is fifty feet in the deepest part of the channel, tapering off to a height of twenty-five feet at the sides. About 10,000 cubic yards of rock was required to fill the cribwork.

The site is on a solid rock bed throughout, and the foundation timbers are solidly bolted to the rock. The permanent water level will be ten feet below the top of the dam, and provision has been made to control the water level during periods of high water by a series of sluice ways, twelve in number, which can be opened to a depth of three feet below normal level. This will give an area of about two hundred square feet of waterway through which to pass the flood water. The sluiceways are closed by means of stop logs, twelve inches square, dropped one on top of the other in a groove provided for their reception.

A steel rail track will be placed on the top of the dam on which a travelling winch can be run over the sluiceways for the purpose of drawing up the stop logs and the other material during floods. This winch will be operated by hand or electrical motor.

The site of the present dam was chosen with the view that at some future time a concrete masonry dam could be constructed below the timber structure, which can be built without any stoppage of the plant whatever. During the high water in June a large amount of logs which were held by a saw mill company, a few hundred yards above the dam, gave way, and about one million feet of logs were thrown against the dam in a solid mass, and at a time when the water was at its highest, without inflicting the slightest damage to the structure. This unexpected test of the dam fully demonstrated its stability.

The water is conveyed from the dam to the power house, first by an open ditch, and then by a concrete pipe, twelve feet long, from this point the water is conveyed by a circular flume of 12 feet diameter to the power house; 35,000 yards of rock have been excavated for the open ditch alone. The areas of the open ditch and tunnel are so large that no appreciable loss of head will occur, and the water will enter the flume with a head equal to the level of the water in the dam.

The power house will be placed on a natural bay at the foot of the dam, where an extensive site has been excavated out of the solid rock. About 7,000 yards of rock has been removed for this purpose.

The turbines are of the horizontal type, two wheels in each case, and the generators are of the three phase alternating type and step-up transformers are used to raise the current for transmission.

The electrical machinery is of the latest and most up-to-date construction of the Westinghouse Company, and the power house a substantial fire proof structure of brick and stone, being, according to the engineer's plans, 200 feet long by 45 feet wide.

A right-of-way has been cleared from Cascade to Phoenix in Greenwood camp, a distance of twenty-one miles. The clearing is one hundred and thirty-two feet wide. All brush and timber has been removed. Two separate duplicate lines are being constructed, of the most substantial and up-to-date description, and every possible means will be used to ensure a continuous current being maintained. The heaviest work has been done to ensure this. The main distribution station will be a fire proof structure of brick and stone.

Poles are now being distributed along the right-of-way between Phoenix and Cascade, and all of the other necessary buildings, etc., is being completed for the early installation of the machinery at the power house at Cascade.

The Columbia & Western Railway Company are putting in a side track for the unloading of the machinery and other material at Cascade, which will probably amount to over fifty car loads before the end of this year.

ADVERTISERS' HAND BOOK.

The 1901 edition of the Canadian Newspaper Directory is just received. This, the third edition of this valuable book, seems to keep well up to the standard set by the former edition, and in some respects is an improvement, being printed on thinner paper and is therefore more compact. The sectional maps of the provinces, which have heretofore been bound in with the book, are issued as a supplement and are much more convenient to use, making them much more convenient to use.

The information regarding the different papers and the towns in which they are published is very full and complete, and will be found invaluable to anyone who has dealings with the newspapers of the country.

The book is published by A. McKim & Co., Montreal, the pioneer Newspaper Advertising Agency of this country, well known from one end of Canada to the other.

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From Kamloops Standard.

The men at work on the Copper King have now got another shipment ready and it will be sent to the smelter in the course of a few days. It is the intention to continue shipping while development work is in progress.

COLUMBIA RIVER BRIDGE.

From Nelson Tribune.

James Findlay, who has charge of the construction of the bridge which the Dominion Bridge Company of Montreal is putting over the Columbia at Robson, commenced the laying of the steel on Thursday. It is thought that the work will occupy from two to three months and will furnish employment for 25 to 30 men.

OKANAGAN FIRES.

From Vernon News.

Heavy bush fires are burning in several sections of the district, and the air for the past few days has been thick with smoke. A fire started on Friday evening from a spark emitted by a line engine machine engine in Deadwood camp, boundary, are at the Fair. The fire of Munroe & Munroe is among the chief owners of the Sunset. In conversation with these gentlemen yesterday they learned that about 6,500 feet of development work has been done during the two years the company has been in control of the Sunset group. The main shaft has reached a depth of 400 feet and the main ledge has been opened on the 100, 200, 300 and 400 foot levels. There is 250,000 tons of ore in sight above the 250-foot level. The ore is a magnetite, carrying gold and copper, the values being largely in the latter metal. The company has now shown many prospects of British Columbia. The plan which it is proposed erecting will be of at least 250-ton capacity and will be located in the heart of the Sunset group, and will be up to date in every particular. Mr. Munroe and Mr. Johnson, who are the chief owners of the Sunset, left for Greenwood yesterday afternoon.

WANT A SENATOR.

From Rossland Miner.

Dr. Sinclair received a communication yesterday from the Ymir Liberal Association informing him that at the meeting of the organization held on the 19th inst. the following resolution was unanimously adopted: Moved by Joseph Ross, seconded by Andrew Burgess, whereas in the opinion of the Ymir Liberal Association the time is now ripe for the appointment to the Dominion Senate of a representative for the Kootenai territory of British Columbia; therefore, be it resolved that this association respectfully memorialize the Right Honorable the Premier and the cabinet that Dr. A. C. Sinclair, of Rossland, B. C., a gentleman fitted in every respect to fill the position of the position, be appointed to the first senatorial vacancy. A similar resolution was recently carried by one of the Boundary Liberal associations.

"FREE BUS FOR DOMINION."

Latest Improvement Introduced by a Popular Landlord.

Many Victorians deplore the fact that there are so few manufacturing establishments in the city, while some appear to think that the local makers of things are incapable of turning out really meritorious work, and that the goods of the designer, sent abroad for many articles which can be produced in perfection within a stone's throw of their homes. Steve Jones, the enterprising proprietor of the Dominion Hotel, is not one of the latter mentioned class; he is a direct believer in the encouragement of home industry in every possible case, and thus assisting in the upbuilding and progress of the community in which he has had such a successful business career.

The latest example of Mr. Jones' faith in local industries is the magnificent new bus just completed to his order by William Mable. It is a thing of beauty, a credit to its builder and a lasting tribute to the good taste and skill of its designer, R. A. Anderson. The vehicle is 12x3 feet in length, 4x9 feet from cushion to cushion, and six feet clear in height inside. It will accommodate 20 inside passengers, and being under the "hurricane deck." It is the largest bus on the Pacific Coast, and in finish and appearance is not surpassed by anything of its kind anywhere.

The body of the bus and the wheels are painted in a creamy tint of yellow picked out in dark brown, while the words, "Dominion Hotel" are done in gold surrounded by artistic scroll work. The interior is beautifully finished in native wood with comfortable seats and back rests in maroon plush. There is a large mirror between the front windows, and the unusual width of the interior insures the convenience of the passengers, who can dispose of their rather lengthy journey with the greatest ease and comfort. The bus weighs 3,400 pounds, but its lines are so well designed that it has no appearance of lumbering heaviness. Mr. Jones will place the new bus in the disposal of his patrons on Labor Day, meantime, the bus has got wind of the affair, and on Thursday evening when the two attempted to take the train she was at the depot to intercept

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JOSHUA DAVIES

AUCTIONEER.

Will Not Be Extended

President Graves of W. P. & Y. Ry. Says Line Will End at White Horse.

There Will Be No Change in the Freight Tariff During This Season.

President Graves, of the White Pass & Yukon Railway, who returned by the Hasting from their North and reached Victoria by the Chama, is authority for the statement that the freight railway will not be extended from White Horse. Ever since last Spring the report has been current that the management of the road would extend the road to the mouth of the Hootalinqua, and in all probability the same will be done in an interview given by Mr. Graves he said:

"It is hardly necessary for me to deny the rumor of the road going on, as anyone who will stop to consider the matter from a business standpoint cannot fail to see that it would be poor judgment on our part to invest hundreds of thousands of dollars in an enterprise that would not give us any better facilities than we have at present for handling the traffic of the country. We have no intention whatever of extending the line. While our road was being built from Skagway to Bennett it was pretty generally believed that that would be the terminus, notwithstanding the fact that we had made no improvements there except temporary ones. When we reached Bennett we made no stop in construction work but continued on down the lake and across the country until we reached White Horse."

"But at White Horse a very different aspect presents itself that which prevailed at Bennett. Here, instead of putting up temporary buildings and wharves, we have made an extensive, costly and substantial improvements, and have made no move looking toward a continuation of the work of construction. On the contrary, we have acquired by purchase the entire fleet of the Canadian Development Company, which has also built, at great expense, three large, light-draught and finely-finished boats which are now employed in transporting passengers and freight between White Horse and Dawson."

"With our present facilities we are prepared to handle 1,000 tons of freight in Dawson every week, but at a matter of fact we are not handling one-tenth the business of which we are capable at this point, and we are rolling stock, fuel and labor."

When asked what bearing the proposed Valdez road would have on the transportation of the country, Mr. Graves said: "We have no fear of competition by a railroad, which has no existence except on paper. But, for argument, let us suppose that the road is to be built. It would have to run several hundred miles through a country from which it would receive no local business, and to anything, and in consequence would have to depend for its support on that of points on the river. At present, and for years to come, this will not warrant the immense expense which would have to be expended in the building of a road which, for at least six months in the year would do no business. In order to interest capitalists in an enterprise that would require the amount of money that the Valdez road would cost, it is necessary to show them where they could secure some returns on their money, and this would be a very hard thing to do."

"On our line we have only about 110 miles although the country through which it passes is no more than that through which the Valdez road would have to go, we find that the operating expenses in the winter are enormous; and when we come to consider the fact that the road would have to run through the winter months trains pull into White Horse with no passengers and scarcely any freight. It does not seem reasonable to suppose that men would invest in a road which would result in the length and expense of ours."

Asked as to what action had been taken in regard to a reduction in passenger and freight rates, Mr. Graves said: "There will be no change in the tariff this season. The rates are at present as low as we can make them and paying operating expenses. Although the road is a paying proposition during the open season, in making up the books we have to calculate on several months when there is no business, but during which time our expenses are larger than at any other time during the year. Of course, if we had all the business we could handle we could afford to reduce rates and make money by the operation, but until tonnage is largely increased it would be a losing proposition."

In conclusion Mr. Graves stated that he had every faith in the future prospects of White Horse, and could see no reason why, with development of its immense coal deposits and rich copper mines, it should not become a very important point in the Yukon territory.

SWIFTWATER BILL.

Marries His Niece and Carries Her Away Against Her Mother's Wishes.

Swiftwater Bill's most matrimonial ventures seem not yet ended. It is stated now that on Thursday he eloped at Tacoma with his niece, Adeline Lydia Boyle. Miss Boyle is but 14 years old. The two left Tacoma Thursday evening, taking the southbound train for Portland and San Francisco. A complaint was sworn out by the girl's mother, who her brother with kidnapping, and she is a rather pretty girl, but is small for her age. Recently she and her uncle went out walking together and it is asserted, went to Chehalis and were there married. In the meantime the girl's mother had got wind of the affair, and on Thursday evening when the two attempted to take the train she was at the depot to intercept

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them. With the assistance of a policeman she endeavored to arrest the two, but the pair escaped from the coach they were in, and hastily summoned a hack were rapidly driven to South Tacoma, five miles distant. The train was held ten minutes at that place waiting for the hack. In the meantime a telephone message had been sent to the South Tacoma officers to arrest Gates, but the policeman, not receiving the message from the central station, attempted to confirm his authority and being in doubt regarding the propriety of arresting the two, he allowed them to board the train unmolested. Gates appeared to have plenty of money and in getting out of town did not hesitate to spend it.

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